Company Tracking Number: IDG08-20

TOI: LTC031 Individual Long Term Care Sub-TOI: LTC031.001 Qualified

Product Name: Individual LTCI Advertising
Project Name/Number: IDG08-20/IDG08-20

Filing at a Glance

Company: Metropolitan Life Insurance Company.

Product Name: Individual LTCI Advertising SERFF Tr Num: META-125615577 State: ArkansasLH TOI: LTC03I Individual Long Term Care SERFF Status: Closed State Tr Num: 38741

Sub-TOI: LTC03I.001 Qualified Co Tr Num: IDG08-20 State Status: Filed-Closed
Filing Type: Advertisement Co Status: Reviewer(s): Harris Shearer
Author: Mary Rinaldi Disposition Date: 07/23/2008

Date Submitted: 04/18/2008 Disposition Status: Filed-Closed

Implementation Date Requested: On Approval Implementation Date:

State Filing Description:

General Information

Project Name: IDG08-20 Status of Filing in Domicile: Authorized

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Project Number: IDG08-20

Requested Filing Mode: Review & Approval

Explanation for Combination/Other:

Submission Type: New Submission

Date Approved in Domicile:

Domicile Status Comments:

Market Type: Individual

Group Market Size:

Overall Rate Impact: Group Market Type: Filing Status Changed: 07/23/2008

State Status Changed: 07/23/2008
Corresponding Filing Tracking Number:

Filing Description:

Re: Filing No. IDG08-20

Metropolitan Life Insurance Company ("MetLife") Individual Long-Term Care Insurance Advertising

NAIC Company No. 65978 - FEIN No. 13-5581829

Dear Sir/Madam:

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Advertising Form Number Brief Description of Invitation to Contract

ADF#1786.07 Five common Long-Term Care misconceptions Brochure

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The NAIC form is enclosed and the filing fee check has been mailed to your Department.

Please advise us of your action on this submission in accordance with your usual procedures.

If you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Mary J. Rinaldi

Consultant-Compliance Marketing/AD

Company and Contact

Filing Contact Information

Mary Rinaldi, Consultant- Compliance mrinaldi@metlife.com

MKTG/AD

Green Farms Road (203) 221-3859 [Phone]

Westport, CT 06880

Filing Company Information

Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. CoCode: 65978 State of Domicile: New York

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1MetLife Plaza Group Code: -99 Company Type: Life Long Island City, NY 11101-4015 Group Name: State ID Number:

(111) 111-1111 ext. [Phone] FEIN Number: 13-5581829

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Filing Fees

Fee Required? Yes
Fee Amount: \$25.00
Retaliatory? No

Fee Explanation: per form

Per Company: No

COMPANY AMOUNT DATE PROCESSED TRANSACTION #

Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. \$0.00 04/18/2008

CHECK NUMBER CHECK AMOUNT CHECK DATE 000913284 \$25.00 04/10/2008

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Correspondence Summary

Dispositions

Status	Created By	Created On	Date Submitted
Filed-Closed	Rosalind Minor (FM)	07/23/2008	07/23/2008

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Disposition

Disposition Date: 07/23/2008

Implementation Date: Status: Filed-Closed

Comment:

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Item Status Public Access Item Type Item Name NAIC Form Filed-Closed Yes **Supporting Document** cover letter Filed-Closed Yes **Supporting Document** Five common long-term Care Filed-Closed Yes **Form**

misconceptions Brochure

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Form Schedule

Lead Form Number: ADF#1786.07

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Metropolitan Life Insurance Company ("MetLife")

MetLife[®]



Fact or Fiction?

the truth behind ...

Five

common

Long-Term

Care Insurance

misconceptions

misconception #one



"Long-Term Care Insurance is too expensive! Besides, I am healthy now so why not wait and save money?"

The facts:

- The average monthly cost for a private room in a nursing home is \$6,479.1
- The approximate monthly cost for an average LTCI policy is \$190.2

Comparing the LTCI cost with the costs involved for appropriate care, you should ask, "Can I afford not to have Long-Term Care Insurance?" This is the most common reason given for not owning long-term care insurance. Yet according to LIMRA International, a market research organization, people who have never shopped for policies overestimate the cost by as much as five to 10 times.

misconception #two

"I don't need Long-Term Care Insurance because I won't need long-term care."

The facts:

- 19% of Americans age 65 and older experience some degree of chronic physical impairment³
- 44% of individuals turning age 65 will at some point access nursing home care⁴
- According to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, about 10 million people of all ages need help with the basic tasks of daily living, and that number is projected to increase sharply as the population continues to age.

Given this information, why wouldn't you protect yourself against such a great risk?

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misconception #three

"Medicare will cover my long-term care needs."

The facts:

- Medicare only pays about 12% of short-term skilled nursing-home care costs and only provides coverage following hospitalization⁵
- Most Medicare does not pay for help with Activities of Daily Living.

So if not from Medicare, where will your long-term care funding come from?

misconception #four

"My long-term care expenses will be taken care of by Medicaid."

The facts:

Medicaid is the federal program that provides health care coverage to lower-income Americans. Medicaid pays benefits either immediately, for people meeting federal poverty guidelines, or after nursing home residents exhaust their savings and become eligible.⁵

Would you rather receive care how and where you want with the flexibility of a Long-Term Care Insurance plan?

misconception #five

"My family will take care of me."

The facts: In a study of 935 caregivers employed while caregiving, those surveyed said they made at least one formal adjustment to their working schedule as a result of caring for a loved one.⁶

- 57% go in late and leave early
- 17% took a leave of absence
- 10% had to cut back to part time hours
- 6% had to give up their work entirely

Will your family be available to provide the care needed? Will they have the resources to pay for the assistance that may be required? More importantly, how will you feel about your family being your caregiver?

- 1 MetLife Market Survey of Nursing Home & Assisted Living Costs, October 2007. Rates vary based on geographical location and other factors.
- 2 Based on an Ideal Policy at age 55 with a \$150 Daily Benefit Amount, 5 Year TLB 100 Service Day, with 5% Compound Inflation and 15% marital discount.
- 3 A study by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. Congressional budget office. "Financing Long-Term Care for the Elderly." April 2004
- 4 Spillman, B. and Lubitz, J. (2002) New Estimates of Lifetime Nursing Home Use: Have Patterns of use changed? Medical Care, October.
- 5 America's Health Insurance Plans (AHIP), Revised edition, 2003, 2004.
- 6 Caregiving in the U.S., National Alliance for Caregiving and AARP, 2004.

Metropolitan Life Insurance Company ("MetLife®")

Subject to state availability, Metropolitan Life Insurance Company ("MetLife") individual Long-Term Care ("LTC") Insurance coverage is offered by the following MetLife policies: LTC2-VAL, LTC2-IDEAL, LTC2-PREM, LTC2-FAC, and LTC2007. In some states, these identifiers may be followed by the state's 2-letter abbreviation; "ML" for Multi-Life; and/or "P" for Partnership policies.

MetLife's LTC Insurance policies are guaranteed renewable and, like most LTC Insurance policies, cannot be cancelled due to an increase in your age or a change in your health. Premium rates can be raised as the result of a rate increase made on a class-basis. Like most LTC Insurance policies, MetLife's policies contain certain exclusions, limitations, elimination periods, reductions of benefits and terms for keeping them in-force. A MetLife appointed licensed insurance agent can provide you with complete costs and details.

Long-Term Care Insurance is issued and distributed by Metropolitan Life Insurance Company ("MetLife®"), 200 Park Avenue, New York, NY 10166 and also distributed by MetLife Investors Distribution Company, 5 Park Plaza, Suite 1900, Irvine, CA 92614. February 2008

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Rate Information

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Supporting Document Schedules

Review Status:

Satisfied -Name: NAIC Form Filed-Closed 07/23/2008

Comments: Attachment:

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Review Status:

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AR_I_Filing Letter .pdf

Life, Accident & Health, Annuity, Credit Transmittal Document

Reset Form

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Mary J. Rinaldi Metropolitan Life Insurance Company Long-Term Care Insurance Division 57 Greens Farms Road Westport, CT 06881-9909		203.221.3859		203.221.6573		mrinaldi@metlife	e.com
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Effective March 1, 2007						
11.	Submitted Documents	FORMS				
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13.	Filing Fee (If required)	Amount \$25.00 . Check DateApril 10, 2008 Retaliatory ☐ Yes ☒ No Check Number000913284				
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Mary J. Rinaldi Long-Term Care

April 18, 2008

Commissioner of Insurance Arkansas Insurance Department 1200 West 3rd Street Little Rock, Arkansas 72201-1904

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